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Attorney Docket No.	YOS0009
First Inventor	Susumu Taguchi et al.
Title	CLOTHING MATERIAL WITH FOAMED STRAND...
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119	320	219	160 Notice of Appeal
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121	280	221	140 Request for oral hearing
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140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable
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142	1,280	242	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)
143	460	243	230 Design issue fee
144	620	244	310 Plant issue fee
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner
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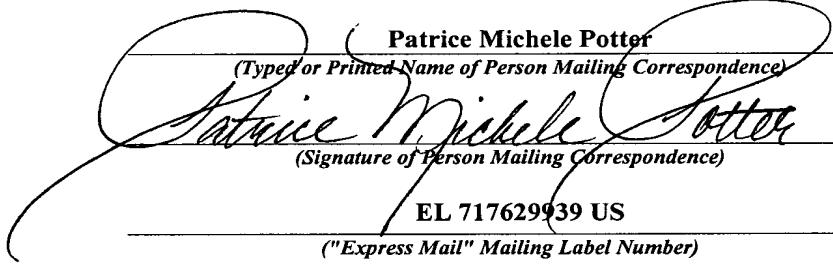
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